

FIFTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE.

HOUSE.

No. 40.

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND EIGHTY.

AN ACT to amend section ten, chapter seventy-five of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, relating to fisheries.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:

Section ten of chapter seventy-five of the laws of 2 eighteen hundred seventy-eight is hereby amended 3 by adding to the end of the section the following 4 proviso: "*Provided*, *however*, that from said fifteenth 5 day of July until the fifteenth day of September 6 following it shall be lawful to fish for and take 7 salmon by the ordinary mode with rod and single 8 line but not otherwise," so that said section when 9 amended shall read as follows:

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10 Sect. 10. There shall be a close-time for salmon 11 from the fifteenth day of July of each year to the 12 first day of April following, during which no sal-13 mon shall be taken or killed in any manner, under 14 a penalty of not more than fifty nor less than ten 15 dollars, and a further penalty of ten dollars for 16 each salmon so taken or killed. *Provided, how*-17 ever, that from the said fifteenth day of July until 18 the fifteenth day of September following it shall be 19 lawful to fish for and take salmon by the ordinary 20 mode with rod and single line but not otherwise.

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In House of Representatives, February 19, 1880.

Reported by Mr. GILMAN from Committee on Fisheries and Game, and ordered printed under rule.

ORAMANDAL SMITH, Clerk.